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In re application of:

Geoffrey B. Rhoads

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For: ELECTRONIC COMMERCE USING  
OPTICAL INPUT DEVICE

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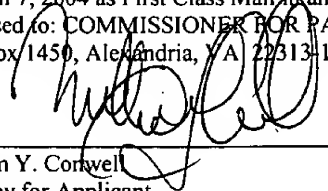
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AMENDMENT

Sir,

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